

CRIME WAVE SHOWN IN MONTH'S RECORD

Commissioner McAdoo Admits that He Is Shocked Over the Revelations in Official Police Reports Just Turned In for the Month of August.

More Than Eight Burglaries Every Day, with Numerous Ones Not Reported, and Twenty-Four Homicides Recorded in Thirty-One Days.

ONE MONTH'S CRIME RECORD IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Homicides	24	21
Robberies	68	57
Felony assaults	57	57
Burglaries	253	97

That Commissioner McAdoo has been unaware of the prevalence of crime in New York, about which there has been unanimous complaint in the press, was made apparent to-day when he got a detailed statement of the crimes of a month. He admitted that he was shocked at the showing.

Friends of the Commissioner have been asserting in his behalf that as a man with business training he had left the detail work of the department to his subordinates, depending for information upon their reports. He became satisfied that these reports did not cover the situation upon his return from a vacation a few days ago and set out to extract some facts.

Blotters were searched and the crime record of the month of August was made up. It showed 144 felonies of the higher grades of crime, of which 24 were murders and 253 burglaries.

MORE THAN 8 BURGLARIES A DAY.

Arrests were made in less than half of the felonies reported. The records of the department show that the burglaries exceeded eight a day. This is the record from the police blotters. It does not include the scores of burglaries that were not reported at all, for there are sections of the city that are burglar scoured and the inactivity of the police has so disgusted the victims that they refuse to go near a police station.

The Commissioner was frank in admitting that the situation was appalling, and that there was room for great improvement in police work. He has laid plans to get returns from every precinct and to pin the responsibility for any laxness where it belongs. One of the steps he has taken toward the suppression, if possible, of crimes of violence among Italians of the lower sort is to organize a small bureau of detectives to work exclusively in the Italian quarter under Detective-Sergeant Petrosini.

Mr. McAdoo said that the recent hold-up of women in the Bronx was entirely up to the police of that section, and he will see why the district does not receive better protection from his men.

"It is an outrage," said the Commissioner, "that women should be attacked so frequently in a city like New York, and I will strain every effort to see that my men perform better and more efficient service."

WANTS REPORTS FROM CAPTAINS.

"I have just issued an order to all my police captains that they must make a daily report to me of what they do in their precincts. I want to know how often they go out on patrol and what surveillance they place over their men. Hitherto the reports of the captains have not been satisfactory, and I am altogether displeased with the way things are running. Now, with these daily reports, I will be able to keep careful tab on everything the police captain in the greater city, and know whether or not he is exercising the care he should in the command of his precinct."

Under Commissioner Green the police captains keep a sort of diary of their patrol duty in the precinct and the places they visited. This book was only consulted when something turned up in the precinct that required reference to.

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JUDGE PARKER ON BROADWAY, AND PLAN OF THE VISIT MURPHY MADE TO HIM TO-DAY BY THE CRYSTAL MAZE ROUTE.



BASEBALL GAMES ATTRACT CROWDS

(Continued from First Page.)

HIGHLANDERS VS. BOSTON.

To Elberfeld, napping. Collins tripped, scoring Stahl. Freeman struck out. ONE RUN.

GIANTS VS. BROOKLYN.

Brennan got Dillan's fly. Dunn to McGinnis put away Dobbie. Lumley fanned. NO RUNS.

DELMAR FINISHES.

(Special to The Evening World.) DELMAR RACE TRACK, ST. LOUIS, Sept. 15.—The results of the races held here to-day are as follows:

WINNERS AT DETROIT.

(Special to The Evening World.) HIGHLAND PARK RACE TRACK, DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 15.—Following are the winners of the races run here to-day:

RESULTS AT KENILWORTH.

(Special to The Evening World.) KENILWORTH RACE TRACK, BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 15.—The races scheduled here to-day resulted as follows:

HAWTHORNE RESULTS.

(Special to The Evening World.) HAWTHORNE RACE TRACK, CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 15.—Following are the results of the races run here to-day:

TELEGRAM FOR T. C. PLATT.

The following is a duplicate telegram sent to Senator Thomas C. Platt, Republican Convention, Saratoga, at 10:30 A. M.:

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Now Mrs. Kierman is Accused of Compounding a Felony.

Mrs. Kate Kierman, of No. 1075 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn, was arrested to-day on the charge of compounding a felony.

The arrest was made by direction of Assistant District Attorney Paul Keen.

On Sept. 3, Tangle County, a niece of Mrs. Kierman, was attacked by two men on Park Row. The men were arrested. When arraigned in court, it is alleged, Mrs. Kierman accepted \$50 to allow her girl to withdraw the complaint.

Mrs. Kierman was committed to the Tombs in default of \$200 bail to await examination.

SENSATION DUE IN WOODS MYSTERY

District Attorney Establishes Identity of Woman Found Dead on Long Island and Talks of Startling Episode.

WOUND ON HER HEAD WAS INFLICTED BEFORE DEATH.

Coroner Not Ready to Hear Criminologist in "Martha Laimbeer" Inquest, but Doctors Tell of Poison.

(Special to The Evening World.)

LYNBROOK, L. I., Sept. 15.—The inquest into the death of the woman found last April in the woods near Greenfield Cemetery at Hempstead and buried under the name of Martha Laimbeer was resumed this afternoon before Justice A. B. Wallace.

William Clemens, the criminologist, who claims to have discovered the identity of the woman and that she was murdered and carried to the woods, was not present. The Justice deciding he was not ready to hear him.

Dr. J. H. B. Denton, father-in-law of Justice Wallace, who performed the autopsy of the woman and received a \$100 bill in an anonymous letter to bury her, and Walter H. Kent, a chemist, of No. 222 Clinton place, Brooklyn, who analyzed the stomach contents, were the only witnesses examined.

District Attorney James P. Neman conducted the questioning for the people. Dr. Denton testified that the woman's organs were normal. He found a wound on the forehead over the left eye in the nature of a contusion, exposing the bone. Blood clots, and hemorrhage indications were present. He thought the wound was caused by a blow from some blunt instrument before death. There were external injuries on the back of the hand, between the knuckles and wrist.

Dr. Denton observed spots in the stomach and esophagus, produced by corrosive poisoning. He could not tell whether the action of carbonic acid was the same on live and dead tissues. Chemist Kent found carbonic acid in the stomach's contents, and said there was a difference in its action on live and dead tissues.

District Attorney Neman informed an Evening World reporter, this afternoon that the identity of the woman had been established, and there was a sensational episode in connection with her death. He said that he had no evidence to show she had been murdered. He refused to state who the woman was.

FAST GOLF PLAYED

ON JERSEY LINKS

(Special to The Evening World.) ORANGE, N. J., Sept. 15.—The match play in the invitation tournament of the Essex County Country Club to-day proved most interesting. The surprise in the first division was Sinclair's victory over Redford, and the surprise in the second was Brown's victory over Archie Reid. Harold Wilcox, the Metropolitan champion, handily beat Barnes, while T. T. Reid had a walk-over with George Armstrong, who played the 27-hole match yesterday.

Van Vleet beat James A. Tyng by 1 up in 19 holes. The surprise of the morning was the defeat of Murray Olyphant, English-born, the New Jersey champion, by A. C. Travis, of Shelter Island.

DISAPPEARED FROM TUG.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—Walter Scott, thirty-five years old, captain of the tugboat Majestic, of this city, either fell or jumped overboard into the Delaware River to-day from the tug and was drowned.

The Majestic was bound up the Delaware to this city with a tow and when near port Scott disappeared. The United States Steamship Corporation, which is conducting an investigation.

SERVANT FOUND DEAD.

Gas Kills Girl Who Had Seen How Mary Dooley, a servant in the family of Carl Heidman, No. 127 West Ninety-seventh street, was found dead in bed in her room to-day with the gas turned on. The window was open at the top.

The policeman who was called reported the case as one of suicide, but further investigation points to accident. The girl had been in this country only a month. Mrs. Heidman said that she had a very cheerful disposition, and there is no known reason for killing herself. It is possible that the girl turned the gas on after extinguishing the light, or that a draught through the open window blew out the light.

Relative took charge of the body.

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